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1. The Appeal Brief (AP.B) filed on 1 September 2007 has been entered and considered. It now meets the requirements in order to clarify the record and make it clear. The application has been forwarded and is ready to proceed to the Board of Patent Appeal and interference as the Examiner Answer,, dated 12/30/2006 and Reply Brief, dated 5/2/2006.

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